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WILL CELEBRATEGovernor Mann, Rosewell Page,
Polk Miller, Brunswick Stews,
Fried Chicken, the Features.

BY F. S. W.

Burkeville, historic Burkeville, a settlement that has been a town of its kind for very many years, a town that has been noted for fried chicken and hard boiled eggs ever since long before General Lee surrendered, in fact, before Appomattox was ever heard of, is going to have a big time in the near future. It had a mighty big time in the recent past when a week or two ago that splendid combination school there had its combination year-end

exercises. I don't know what other name to call it by except a combination school. Surely it is a combination, for there is the graded school, the primary and infantile departments, the advanced grade departments and the high school, and then the higher school. In one big combination, Burkeville school facilities are all that are necessary to fix a boy or a girl right up for the college course. And, as a matter of fact, after a boy or a girl gets through at that Burkeville combination it is to be doubted if he or she needs very much of a college course.

The Next in Order.

But be all that as it may, the next big thing in Burkeville is a kind of general farmers' day which is to be celebrated on the 24th of this month. On that day there will be great doings in Burkeville, and from the information at hand it is fair to presume that not less than 5,000 people will be congregated in the town that day, for the tobacco growers of Prince Edward, Nottoway, Amelia and other counties will be there, the truckers and the dairy men from all of the surrounding coun-

ties and all of their sisters and their cousins and their aunts are likely to be there, and the experimenters and the demonstrators will be there world without end, to say nothing of the orators and the bums and the drummers and the other kinds of human cattle, not excepting newspaper men.

Virginia Attractions.

An illustrated catalogue of the attractions of the day has just reached my desk. It explains that a great talk will be made to the farmers by Rosewell Page, of Hanover county, at 11 A. M. Another great talk will be made in the afternoon, also to the farmers, by Governor Mann. At night Polk Miller will give a great old Virginia "nigger" show.

The program as published by the executive committee explains that between the speeches of Mr. Page and Governor Mann there will be an immense dinner, an old time outdoor Virginia picnic, barbecue, layout, consisting of all kinds of things that are natural to the soil. There will be roast corn cobs, Brunswick stews, fried chicken according to the true Burkeville style, chicken, a la la, Prince Edward, buttermilk and corn bread, barbecued lamb and roast pig, Old "Farsiny" ham at least a week from baking, and lots and lots of other good things to be found in Nottoway county, not excepting peas and pasties and the old time Southside Virginia "chest cake."

The program as printed and circulated explains that everything on it, oratorical, musical, edible and otherwise, is of Nottoway county growth. That is, everything except Rosewell Page, and only yesterday Mr. Page fully explained to the writer that it was none of his fault that he was not born in Nottoway. Then he winked his other eye, and said, "constantly thought it ought to be explained at the same time 'that the present day Nottoway people were in no way to blame for the fact that Polk was born there. Perhaps it's a kind of stand off."

Anyhow, there are no two better Virginians on the earth than Rosewell Page and Polk Miller, and none love the old mother more or are doing more to make her great Burkeville and Nottoway county are to be congratulated that they are to hear them both in their peculiar lines and all in one day, for these two noble sons are fully capable of setting forth, in different ways, the glories of the old sod.

DEVELOPMENTS OF WEEK.

New Industries Started in the Virginia and North Carolina.

Chattanooga, Tenn., June 15.—The more important new industries established in the Virginia and North Carolina during the week ending Wednesday are shown by the following list compiled from reports made to the Trademark and fully verified:

Altavilla—\$100,000 furniture factory. Alexandria—\$100,000 stationery company. Bristol—insurance company. Bristol—\$100,000 construction company. Gordonsville—\$100,000 mill company. Norfolk—\$100,000 realty company; \$100,000 construction company. Petersburg—\$100,000 realty company; city building company. Portsmouth—\$100,000 manufacturing company. Virginia Beach—\$100,000 amusement company. West Point—\$100,000 bank. West Virginia. Bluefield—\$100,000 oil and gas company. Charleston—\$100,000 realty company; \$100,000 dry cleaning company; \$100,000 oil and gas company. Clarksburg—\$100,000 plumbing company; \$100,000 picture company. Martinsburg—Power plant. Morgantown—\$100,000 orchard company; \$100,000 construction company. North Carolina. Asheville—\$100,000 lumber company. Beaufort—\$100,000 construction company. Charlotte—\$100,000 mill supply company. Rocky-Mount. Tullahoma—\$100,000 manufacturing company. Wilmington—Electric light plant.

JOIN IN CORN CLUB WORK

Movement Has Remarkable Growth. More Than 1,500 Members in Seventy-four Counties.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Raleigh, N. C., June 18.—B. F. Parker, in charge of the Boys' Corn Club work of the Department of Agriculture, says this movement began a year and a half ago, is having a most remarkable growth, and is probably the most popular that the Department of Agriculture has ever inaugurated. There are now over 1,500 boys in seventy-four counties, interested in their corn-growing contests this season. He says that the letters from these boys give the gratifying evidence of their purpose to stick to the farm. The attendance in this work the State

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WILL MAKE FIGHT
ON TARIFF ISSUEParty Managers Discuss
Plans for Campaign in
Ninth District.SLEMP WILL CALL
IN OUTSIDE HELP

Stuart Supporters Highly Pleased
With Early Developments.
First Republican Attack
Proves a Boomerang.
Democratic Leaders Will
Take Part in Battle.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
Pulaski, Va., June 18.—Supporters of Henry C. Stuart for Congress throughout the Ninth District are highly pleased at the early developments of the campaign, all of which, they say, appear to be favorable to the Democratic cause. They were greatly encouraged at the very outset, but as the battle wears on, and event after event indicates the exceeding strength and popularity of their candidate, they are more and more convinced that victory awaits him, as a result of the approaching election.

With the exception of "showing their hand" on the New York customs house incident, the Republicans have so far been conducting "kumshoes" campaign of the district, and this, rebuffed with all the force and effect of a veritable boomerang. Made by one or two individuals in a single county, it was promptly and vigorously denounced by Mr. Stuart, while the only Republican daily newspaper in the district sharply criticized such methods, and declared editorially that "Of course, nobody in this part of the county believed that Mr. Stuart had attempted to defraud the government out of any of its dues."

Campaign on High Plane.
Meanwhile the Democratic leaders and newspapers of the district have pitched their campaign on a different and a higher plane, which, according to the party managers, combined with Mr. Stuart's fine leadership and popularity, is already showing the most satisfactory results. They say they have no personal attack to make upon Mr. Slemp, and no small politics to indulge in, but that the other hand there is a complete understanding that they will make their fight in the open, upon governmental principles, discussing in a fair and legitimate manner the public record of Mr. Slemp and that of his party, contending that it is the best interest of the people that there be a general "house cleaning" at Washington, and that "Cananism" and "Aldrichism" be overthrown forever.

Tariff Chief Issue.
The chief issue will undoubtedly be the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill, and as one of its alleged results, the present high cost of living will be freely discussed. Mr. Slemp is set down as an "out" and "standpatter," and the Democrats declare they are not going to "overlook any hets" on this score.

They say he will be asked to tell the voters all about his alleged intimacy with "Uncle Joe," and if it is true, as seems to be generally understood, that he supported the present tariff bill, which is being denounced throughout the country by prominent Republicans, and that he has been passed in the interest of the trusts, and for the benefit of a favored few.

It is not believed that much outward enthusiasm will be displayed on either side until the speaking begins. The course will hardly be pursued, however, for the business of conducting a political campaign is a two-handed game, and the Democrats say they will have their most experienced players at the table constantly, from the very moment the cards are brought in.

Encouraging Reports.
Democratic headquarters for the district have been opened here, and the work of canvassing, which has been compact and effective organization is receiving daily attention. One who is authorized to speak of the work is said to be thoroughly acquainted with the situation, said to-day that each mail was bringing in valuable information and the most encouraging reports, and that the party workers were well lined up in all the counties. Those in charge keep in close touch with the members of the campaign committee as to the situation in the various counties, and there is an air of confidence around headquarters which possibly is well pervaded among the Democrats of the Ninth District in many ways.

Though Mr. Stuart had not entered actively upon the campaign, he has been in several of the counties, and expresses himself as being highly pleased with the results. He is said to be going to start in upon a systematic personal canvass of the district, and devote his undivided attention to it until the day of election.

Stuart Club Organized.
The town of Dublin, in this county, where the Democrats are of the militant kind, has organized an enthusiastic campaign club, which has been named the "Henry C. Stuart Club, No. 1." Though this feature of the battle has not yet been given its full effect, it is taken to be a strong local organization of this sort at all the principal places in the district.

In addition to covering all the courts, speakers will be sent to every point where there is any possibility of reaching an audience. Among the earliest leaders to offer the committee their services to canvass the district for Mr. Stuart, were former Governor Swanson and Senator Martin, both of whom have written strong letters to the public, insisting their earnest desire that the district shall be redeemed, and declaring that they are ready to assist in any way in their power to bring about this result. Other Democratic orators of prominent will be asked to help, and there is no sort of doubt that when the party is ready to begin firing from the stump, it will have at its disposal the very best talent that the State can produce. This is claimed, means a more intelligent and convincing presentation of the Democratic side of the controversy to the voters, and combined with all the other flattering circumstances surrounding the situation, it is thoroughly believed by the Democrats that it means victory in November.

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\$18.75
For Men's \$25.00 Suits.

\$9.75
For Men's \$12.50 Suits.

\$11.75
For Men's \$15.00 Suits.

Men's \$5.00 Fine Worsteds and Cassimeres; special, \$3.85 Trousers; special, \$3.85

Special Prices on Men's Furnishings

Elastic Seam Drawers, full size, double seams, well sewed and stayed, 3 pearl buttons and suspender loops; 50c quality fine bleached jeans; to-morrow only **35c**

"Porosknit" Underwear, advertised and sold everywhere for 50c; here to-morrow special **33c**

One lot Eclipse and other brand \$1.00 Shirts; special to-morrow **59c**

Manhattan Shirts, soft and stiff bosoms, nice selection; \$2 and \$2.50 grades; to-morrow **\$1.33**

Pure Thread Silk
Half Hose

Pure Thread Silk Half Hose, black and colors. Made with extra spliced heels and toes. These are exceptional bargains, and will sell readily in half and dozen lots, because they are worth three times the price; \$1.50 50c grade; special to-morrow **50c**

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Boys' \$5.00 Knickerbocker Suits now **\$3.45**

Boys' \$6.00 Knickerbocker Suits now **\$4.45**

Boys' \$7.50 Knickerbocker Suits now **\$5.65**

Boys' \$10.00 Knickerbocker Suits now **\$7.95**

Boys' \$12.00 Knickerbocker Suits now **\$8.45**

BOYS' WASH SUITS

\$1.50 Washable Suits reduced now to **89c**

\$2.50 and \$3.00 Washable Suits now **\$1.89**

Boys' 50c Bloomer Wash Pants, sizes 3, 4 and 5; special, **25c**

Boys' 50c Plain Knee Wash Pants, **20c**

2 dozen Girls' \$1.00 Peanut Straw Sailors **79c**

10 dozen Boys' Percalle Shirts, 50c quality; reduced to **35c**

Job lot of Children's Summer Hats and Caps; 50c and 75c grade **15c**

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RULING FOR PLAINTIFF.

Suit of Ware-Kramer Against American Tobacco Co. May Reach Jury.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
Raleigh, N. C., June 18.—In the noted case of Ware-Kramer Tobacco Company versus the American Tobacco Company, in which the plaintiff demands \$1,500,000 damage for the destruction of the cigarette business of the plaintiff, at Wilson and Norfolk, through trust methods to crush competition, United States Judge H. G. Connor overrules the demurrer of the American Tobacco Company to the bill of complaint, and insists that it all the allegations of the plaintiff set out in the bill are made good, the case is clearly one on which a jury should pass. He then the allegations that Carter was made a decoy duck by the American Tobacco Company, in the

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